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NORTH TAZEWELL.

Happenings of Our Neighboring Villages Tensely Told for Busy Readers.

North Tazewell, Va., June 15. Big Joe Litz, of Adria, was here on business Monday.

J. D. Peery spent a few days at home the first of the week.

Mrs. J. W. Gillespie is quite ill at her home on Cavett's Creek.

J. W. Buchanan is spending a few days at home this week.

Rev. J. R. King filled his appointment at Gravel Hill on Sunday last.

Clarence Peery spent Sunday with H. A. Bailey in Baptist Valley.

T. W. Ireson, of Tiptop, was a business visitor to our town last week.

Mrs. W. P. Whitley continues quite ill at her home on Whitley's Branch.

R. W. Thompson spent Saturday and Sunday with his family at this place.

Rush Mayo, of Pisgah, was shaking hands with friends here on Saturday.

J. H. Whitley spent Sunday at Graham, the guest of his son, W. N. Whitley.

Jesse McCall made a business trip to Bluefield on Sunday, returning Monday.

Mrs. C. H. Peery and Mrs. Geo. P. Hall were visitors to Bluefield on Thursday last.

Mrs. Lee Hildreth spent the day with her sister, Mrs. W. P. Whitley, on Friday last.

H. T. May, of Adria, attended a meeting of the Odd Fellows here on last Saturday night.

Walton & Co. have suspended work on the new road for a few days on account of wet weather.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Carl A. Greever on Sunday last, a girl. Both mother and baby are doing well.

Miss Annie Crockett, who spent the winter and spring in Norfolk, Va., has returned to her home at Pisgah.

Mrs. W. L. Baker, of Norfolk, Va., is visiting her father, John Peery, and sister, Mrs. Cal Crockett, of Pisgah.

Mrs. Lucy Dickenson left last night for Rochester, Minn., where she will undergo an operation for appendicitis.

Mrs. J. W. Whitley and little daughter, Ellen, spent Monday at the home of her father, John Peery, near Pisgah.

We guess the Hon. Henry C. Stuart ran a good race in town horse market day, as there was no other candidate present to oppose him.

Mrs. E. Lane Whitley, who has been spending the past two weeks with relatives at this place, returned to her home at Galax on last Sunday.

Miss Margaret McGuire, who has been attending school at Athens, W. Va., the past season, returned to her home in Crockett's Cove on Monday.

Miss Nannie McGuire left on Sunday last for Blacksburg to be present at the closing exercises of the Virginia Polytechnic Institute. Her brother, J. G. McGuire, was a student at that institution during the past year.

It is rumored that we are to have a real menagerie in connection with the moving picture show shortly. John C. Bailey has one white rat, one Guinea pig, one billy goat and a dog, and J. Harvey Gillenwater has a ground hog and a crow. We understand they purpose combining and calling the show Barnum & Bailey.

The Tazewell Republican recently asked: "Who is Hascue Yates, anyway?" Well, at the present time Hascue is busy hoeing potatoes for G. W. Keister. He says that he is twenty-eight years old and that he worked for Henry C. Stuart for fifteen years. He further says that he left Stuart's employ eleven years ago. Now, then, will the reader kindly tell us how old Hascue was when he went to work for Mr. Stuart? He certainly must have been a whopper at two years of age.

Joseph Hibbitts Dead.

Mr. Joseph Hibbitts, of Grundy, and one of the best known and most popular men in this entire section of Virginia, died in a hospital in the city of Richmond on last Monday after an operation for kidney trouble of long standing.

Mr. Hibbitts was about sixty-five years of age, and had served as clerk of Buchanan county for thirty-two years and deputy for six years. He also served one term in the legislature, his seat being contested. From his term of service as clerk in Buchanan Mr. Hibbitts was so familiar with the records that although they were twice burned he could give all necessary information and establish titles to deeds destroyed, his services at that time being indispensable to the people of his country. Of the many political races which he entered he was never defeated for office.

Deceased is survived by a widow and eight children. Remains will be interred in the family cemetery at Grundy.

Wedding Bouquets

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FALLS MILLS ITEMS.

Items of Interest to Our Readers Briefly Told by Our Correspondent.

Falls Mills, Va., June 15. George Givens, of this place, had a very fine cow killed by the train this week.

Mrs. J. M. Sheppard made a business trip to Tazewell one afternoon of last week.

Rev. Isaac Wright will conduct services at the Union church here on next Sunday.

The C. W. B. M. will hold a meeting at the Union church here on Sunday, the 19th.

J. C. Fink, of this place, was visiting his son, H. C. Fink, at Welch, W. Va., on Monday.

Mrs. Henry Harvey, of Bluestone, was a guest at the home of Isaiah Harry last week.

Miss Luther Crawford, of Brush Fork, was a guest at the home of W. B. Tabor on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Tabor, of Mud Fork, were visiting relatives in the village Saturday and Sunday.

Prof. C. H. Eagle, L. L. Wynn and H. M. Henson, of Burkes Garden, attended the concert here Saturday evening.

Three of Mr. Charles Wagner's daughters, from Bailey, this county, were guests at C. J. Hale's the latter part of last week.

H. A. Green and Daniel Brittain, employees of the Norfolk and Western at St. Paul, Va., were visiting homefolks here Sunday.

J. G. and R. E. Fink, of this place, left Tuesday for Washington, D. C. and other points of interest. They expect to return in a week or ten days.

Miss Maggie Sarver, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Sarver, of Yards, Va., and Mr. Abe Blankenship, of that place, were married in Bluefield on last Wednesday.

J. Samuel Bennett, one of the employees of The Tazewell Republican, was a welcome visitor in our village on last Sunday. While here he was the guest of Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Sheppard.

The concert given by Prof. H. M. Eagle at the close of his singing school here Saturday evening was largely attended, and all seemed to enjoy the splendid musical program arranged for the occasion. The choir acquitted themselves in a very creditable manner, which showed their remarkable progress made while under their efficient instructor, Isaiah Harry and M. E. Eagle made very appropriate talks, after which J. H. Hackworth amused the audience with a few of his favorite anecdotes.

News of Freestone.

Asberry, Va., June 14. Joseph Neal now has his new axe handle factory in operation.

Miss Pearl Asberry is visiting at Pounding Mill this week.

Miss Pearl Neal was shopping at Tazewell on last Saturday.

Whitten Hilt visited homefolks at Tannersville on last Sunday.

A. S. Waldron was a business visitor to Asberry on last Wednesday.

Joseph Neal made a business trip to North Holston on last Monday.

Children's Day will be observed at Wesley's Chapel on next Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Vanhoozier are the proud parents of a fine baby girl.

Roscoe, May and Mamie Hale spent Sunday with Jimmie and Della Asbury.

Miss Maggie Shrader is at home here from Tazewell where she had been visiting.

Mrs. Mattie Brooks and Mrs. S. P. Bolden were the guests of Mrs. James Vanhoozier on last Sunday.

Mrs. Lellah Neal, Misses Pearl and Leola Neal were guests of Misses May and Lena Correll on last Sunday.

Mrs. S. K. Dye and two little sons, Buster and Don, spent Thursday at the home of Mrs. Preston Vanhoozier.

J. A. Neal and daughter, Leola, attended the quarterly meeting at Crabtree's Chapel on last Saturday and Sunday.

Misses Belle and Maggie Shrader, Edward Neal and Luther Hale were the guests of Miss Fannie Edmonds on last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Shrader, Mrs. Lizzy Hoops and Master Howard Hoops spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James Lambert.

The Quigley Furniture Company has bought a large boundary of timber from W. T. and A. B. Correll. Robert Neal has the logging contract.

Closing Exercises of High School.

Monday evening at 8 o'clock the annual celebration of the Jeffersonian Literary Society program will consist of music, recitations, declamations, essays and debate. The question for debate is: "Resolved that Modern Civilization owes More to Ancient Greece than to Rome."

On Tuesday evening the exercises of the graduating class with address by Prof. G. L. Byrom, of Roanoke, Virginia.

Patrons and friends of the school are cordially invited to be present.

BEARWALLOW ITEMS.

Matters of Interest to Our Readers From Buchanan County.

Bearwallow, Va., June 14. B. F. Valley, of Whitewood, was the guest of W. J. Elswick on Sunday last.

J. B. Fulton, of Whitewood, was looking after business matters here last week.

J. B. Altizer, of Harman, was a welcome visitor to Bearwallow on last Saturday.

M. P. Farmer, of Coalman, was mingling with friends at Bearwallow Hall on last Saturday night.

J. H. and M. M. Christian are moving along nicely with their work on the school house near this place.

The farmers in this vicinity are getting along slowly with corn hoeing, owing to the wet weather. We think the crop will be a good one, though.

Noah Elswick failed of his usual trip down Big Fork Ridge last Sunday, owing to the fact that it's bad traveling through thickly hanging foliage during a heavy rain.

Mr. and Mrs. Cam Cardwell have moved into their home which they recently purchased from Mrs. Linna Nelson near this place. We welcome them to our community.

Rev. John Russell, of Cedar Bluff, preached to the people at Laird's Chapel on last Sunday from the text: "I will arise and go to my Father." His sermon greatly interested his hearers.

Death of Mrs. Margaret Harrison.

"Leaves have their time to fall, And flowers to wither in the north wind's breath; And stars to set. But all, Thou hast all seasons for thine own, O, Death."

Mrs. Margaret Harrison, relict of the late Colonel Joseph Harrison, passed peacefully to her reward on last Friday at 7:30 p. m. She had been in poor health for some time, and the end was not unexpected.

Mrs. Harrison was a faithful and consistent member of the Christian Church, and her life a shining example of the doctrine she professed.

Funeral services were conducted at the residence of her son-in-law, H. G. McCall, on Sunday morning at 11 a. m. by Rev. J. N. Harman, and interment was by the side of her husband in Jeffersonville Cemetery.

She is survived by two sons, Messrs. W. G. and J. D. Harrison, and two daughters, Mrs. H. Bane Harman and Mrs. H. G. McCall.

The following is a touching tribute contributed by a friend of the deceased.

Mrs. Harrison's memory is so reverently enshrined in the hearts of her friends, in the sacred places where thoughts are voiceless, that words, which mean so little, will seem almost an intrusion. If words were things, the simplest, sweetest words might tell the story of her life as her friends would have it told; but, as it is, we cannot even single out the virtue that seemed best in her; we simply say the supreme nobility of her heart was the best that God himself could do.

Now, while she is lying in the first sweet lapse of her white slumber, we like best to think of her feeding and clothing the poor; or, to remember her, as she was so often seen, abroad in the fields and roadways with basket laden with home-made bread and wine for the sick, her face radiant with the glory of her mission. Who of her neighbors has not called her blessed when the lights burned low? Where there was sickness you would always find her busy with the deftness that sweet sympathy inspires. The soft caress of her fingers and the pitying quiver of her lips have lifted the shadow from how many pain-driven faces! These are the things we like best to remember, but we remember, too, her splendid plainness and common sense, and the gracious democracy of her spirit, which enfolded alike, rich and poor, white and black, and laid a blessing upon all.

This brief memorial is written in my mother's name. They were kindred spirits and loyal friends. Their friendship "in golden sequence" ran through more than thirty years, and it has not ended. With the star-light in her eyes, Mrs. Harrison is waiting in the beautiful country "where clear from marge to marge shall bloom the eternal landscape of the past."

F. T. W.

Honor Roll Tazewell High School.

Honor Roll for week ending June 6th. Fourth Grade—Mrs. Elizabeth J. Hunt, teacher.

Mary Coulling, Martha Coulling, Vera Jones, Eloise Bustin Billy Copenhagen.

Honor Roll for week ending June 13. Mary Coulling, Martha Coulling, Eloise Bustin, Mary Moore.

Honor Roll for week ending June 6th. Seventh Grade—Miss M. L. Eanes, teacher.

Mamie McCall, Irene Peery, Ellen Daily, Geraldine Kendrick, Elizabeth Ward, Lucile Thompson, Nannie Heldreth, Nancy McBryde, Eloise Greever, Anita Gillespie, James Peery, Sam Hoover.

Honor Roll for week ending June 13. Irene Peery, Evelyn McCall, Lucile Thompson, Nannie Heldreth, James Peery, Alex Witten, Andrew Witten, Sam Hoover.

POUNDING MILL NEWS.

Items of Interest to Our Readers Here And Elsewhere.

Pounding Mill, Va., June 15. Miss India McGuire is the guest of Mrs. W. B. Steele today.

Dock Altizer is confined to his home with an attack of tonsillitis.

Mrs. J. B. Hurt spent today at the home of J. Saunders Gillespie.

Mrs. A. Collins and children visited friends in Bluefield over Sunday.

James Pack was a visitor to Tazewell today, returning in the afternoon.

Miss Barbara Brittain, of Tazewell, is the guest of relatives here today.

Ben Dye, roadmaster for the Norfolk & Western, was here yesterday and today.

Mrs. J. T. Altizer and Mrs. Henry Skeens were visiting at Cedar Bluff on Sunday last.

A force of about sixty-five men are now engaged laying new steel on the railroad here.

C. T. Lambert, railway mail clerk, was here today en route to his home at Sinkingswaters.

Mrs. Dock Altizer and baby returned Saturday from visiting Mrs. Will Mulhey at Honaker.

Miss Effie Williams spent Monday night at Richlands, the guest of her brother, Dr. W. R. Williams.

Harvey George Gillespie returned home Friday from the V. P. I., where he had been attending school.

Miss E. Pearl McGuire, of Cedar Bluff, was the guest of her cousin, Miss Uva Steele at this place today.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Whitt, of Raven, are the guests of their nephew, James Johnson, at this place, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. James E. McGuire and little son, of Cedar Bluff, spent Sunday here with W. B. Steele and family.

John B. Elswick, an eighty-year-old veteran, of Belfast, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Lou Robinett, at this place.

John Wynn, Wm. Caldwell, John McKenry and J. B. Hankins were guests of W. B. Steele the first of the week.

Mrs. Mary Williams and daughter, Miss Margaret, will leave on tomorrow for Grundy to visit Mrs. J. D. Stinson.

Logan Ringstaff, after having been off duty for four months with a broken leg, is now watching bridges near St. Paul.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Williams came up from Richlands on yesterday and are the guests of Mrs. Rebekah Williams at this place.

John Gillespie visited homefolks at Witten's Mills Saturday and Sunday, engaging in a fox chase with friends while there.

Norman, the six-year-old son of R. M. Sparks had his ankle so badly cut by broken glass on yesterday that he is unable to walk.

Miss Marguerite Hurt returned Sunday from Bethany College, at Bethany, W. Va., where she had been a student the past year.

Tom Robinett is carrying both arms in a sling, caused by falling from a bridge where he was working. He fell about thirty feet, but no bones were broken.

Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Gillespie and son, Harvey George, and Mr. J. B. Hurt attended the funeral and burial of Mrs. Margaret Harrison at Tazewell on last Sunday.

Richlands News.

Richlands, Va., June 15. Sam Sturgill has been visiting here for the past week.

Dr. J. H. Smith is at Whitewood this week on professional business.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Scott are on a short visit to friends at Swords Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Baker are the proud parents of a fine girl baby.

P. W. Baker spent Saturday and Sunday with homefolks at this place.

Miss Stella Buskill has been right much indisposed for several days.

Victor Gross, a hustling Norfolk and Western bridleman, was visiting here Sunday.

Miss Carrie Nuckels, of Swords Creek, has been visiting friends here for several days.

Mrs. John Lester and Mrs. Dye were the guests of Mrs. Jennie Long at Maxwell last week.

Charlie Lawson, of Williamson, W. Va., has been visiting his parents here for the past week.

J. J. Coe and sons have returned to Galax, where they have been engaged in drilling wells for the past two years.

There is a protracted meeting going on at the Methodist church here, and deep interest is being manifested by the large congregations that attend each service.

Charles Watkins, colored, who had been making his home with W. B. Spratt, died on last Friday and was buried at the Matney graveyard on the following day.

TO ALL CONCERNED

All persons are warned not to hunt or otherwise trespass on my lands west of Pocahontas.

Ben Reed.

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| Standard Granulated Sugar, in barrel | \$5.50 |
| Standard Granulated Sugar, 100 lb lots | \$5.50 |
| Standard Granulated Sugar, 25 lb bags | \$1.40 |

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| American Queen A 1, per barrel | \$5.50 |
| Washburn Crosby's Gold Medal | \$5.50 |
| Eldean, Fancy Patent | \$5.35 |
| White Swan, Straight Grade | \$5.00 |

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| Good White Kiln Dried Milling Corn, pr bush | \$.80 | Wire Nails, 10 keg lots | \$2.25 |
| Good Mixed " " | .78 | Wire Nails, 1 keg lots | 2.50 |
| 2 bushel bags Chippewa Salt | .50 | Wire Nails, less quantity, per lb | .3 |
| Pure Wheat Middlings, 100 lb sacks | 1.40 | Bordeaux Mixture, 1 gallon cans | 1.50 |
| Pure Wheat Bran, 100 lb sacks | 1.40 | " " " " | 1.00 |
| Chicken Feed, 100 lb sacks | 2.00 | " " quart " | .50 |
| Red Seal Roofing, 2 ply, per square | 1.15 | Kerfrees Ready Mixed Paints, value \$2.00 | |
| Red Seal Roofing, 3 ply, per square | 1.65 | Pure Linseed Oil | 1.80 |
| Rubberoid Roofing, 2 ply, \$2.00 and | 2.50 | Pure Spirits Turpentine, per gallon | .95 |
| V Crimp Iron Roofing, per square | 2.60 | Alabastine | 1.00 |
| 4 point Galvanized Barbed Wire, 100 lb spools | .3 | Alceyon Roof Paint, \$1.25 and | 1.50 |
| 4 " " " 50 lb " | .34 | Graphite Roof Paint | 1.50 |
| Black Fencing Wire, 100 lb rolls | .22 | Red Roofing Paint | 1.00 |
| Galvanized Plain Fencing Wire, 100 lb rolls | .3 | 5 ply Rubber Garden Hose, per foot | .124 |
| | | Myers Spray Pumps, \$3.50 and | 4.50 |

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WHITEWOOD ITEMS

Many Items of Interest From the Little Buchanan County Town.

Whitewood, Va., June 15.

Toney Bird, who has been quite sick for some time, is much improved.

J. H. Bird, of Rocky Gap, Va., is visiting his son, John H. Bird, at this place.

Dr. J. H. Smith, of Richlands, is at Whitewood this week in the absence of Dr. Carr.

Elmer McCoy, Deputy U. S. Marshal, was here a few days ago scenting around for shiners.

John Callahan, sheriff of Buchanan county, was at Whitewood the latter part of last week.

Dee Woolum has purchased a saw mill on Big Creek and will move his family from this place to Richlands.

J. C. Gillespie has moved into his new residence on Strawberry Hill, and can now often be heard singing: "There's no place like home."

Andy Johnson and family have been at Blackford on a visit to friends. Mr. Johnson returned home Monday, leaving his family at Blackford.

Carl McKenry, of Richlands, has accepted a position with the Ritter Lumber Company at this place as scrip clerk, and is now at his post of duty.

We were pained to hear of the death of Joseph Hibbitts, clerk of the circuit court of Buchanan county, which occurred in Richmond at the Memorial Hospital on last Monday. Mr. Hibbitts was a good man, well beloved by all who knew him, and will be greatly missed.

Old Crook's Nest in Burkes Garden.

Bluefield, W. Va., June 15.—George W. Moss, of Burkes Garden, accompanied by his son, Charles, who was in the city this morning on his way to Zenith to look after his coal interests, reports the finding of about sixty pieces of counterfeit money in Burkes Garden a day or so ago.

Mr. Moss had one of the pieces with him and another piece of metal shaped for the die. The coin was made of some brown metal in imitation of the Spanish dollar, and bore the date of 1808. This denomination of Spanish money is said to have been popular in this country fifty or sixty years ago.

The discovery was made, according to Mr. Moss, in a pasture field by a boy who was tending a herd of cows. The coin had been placed in an old tree, which had rotted down, and when found the pieces were buried in the mold.

It is said there was an notorious counterfeit outfit in Burkes Garden some fifty-five or sixty years ago, and for a long time it done a thriving business manufacturing these spurious Spanish coins. Several members of the gang, it is stated, were captured but the ring leader escaped. This however, broke up the practice and the outlaws left the country.

Try a box of Liggetts Chocolates, they are the best candies on the market. At Jacksons.

The News of Harman.

Harman, Va., June 14.

The firm heretofore known as Altizer & Burk will soon be changed to Altizer & Payne.

The John Pack mill is now engaged in cutting lumber at the mouth of Panther Branch.

Thomas Harrison, of Baptist Valley, was seen among the camp men here one day this week.

Mrs. S. H. Devilbliss and children, of Bluefield, W. Va., are visiting relatives and friends in this community.

Geo. W. Christian, of Coalman, was a visitor to Harman on last Sunday, the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Christian.

Mrs. W. C. Mitchell, of Welch, W. Va., who had been visiting her mother, Mrs. S. S. Elliott, at this place, has returned to her home.

The farmers of this section are being greatly hindered in the hoeing of their corn by the almost incessant rainfall of the past few weeks.

James Beavers, who has been running a saw mill on the head of Indian, has purchased a farm on Middle Creek and has moved his family to that place.

The steam shovel has arrived at the tunnel mouth at last, and is tearing up the earth equal to our Democratic brethren over their Congressional nominee.

Miss Mary Christian, who has been making her home with Mr. and Mrs. David Christian, at Bearwallow, for several years, is visiting her old home at this place.

Lewis Christian, of Pounding Mill, says he has carried the mail continuously for thirteen years between that place and Harman. Lewis is just as regular as an eight day clock.